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Reference: FCC Docket Nos 96-45, 98-171, 90-571, 92-237, 99-200, 95-116, 98-170 and NSD File No. L-00-72.

Dear FCC:

I am writing to complain about the proposed changes to the Universal Service Fund and requesting that the FCC investigate this matter further before changing the current policy. Your proposed \$1.00 per month charge for all wireless phones will directly impact my ability to retain my wireless service.

I do not think it is fair to charge EVERYBODY \$1.00 dollar regardless of how they use their wireless phone, especially for a low-volume user that relies on wireless service for safety and security, not interstate calls. The current policy is fair, based on interstate usage, and should be left alone. Please do not penalize us. Keep this fair.

I drive almost 40 miles one way to work and I rely on my phone in case of emergencies; there are some crazy people out in the world today. Also, some elderly people have tracfones because they are on a limited income and it is easier to fit within their means. This is a "money hungry" world as it is please do not fall into the majority as well. Help the elders and people like me that do not need a monthly wireless bill but a phone that will help us in case of emergencies and help with "monthly budgets". Thank You.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter. Please provide a written response indicating the status/resolution of this matter.

Very truly yours,

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